

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: Mark D'Andreta  
Group Art Unit: 3781  
Examiner: Tri M. Mai  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROTECTING  
ELEMENTS OF A PAINT SHOP  
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**RESPONSE BEING FILED WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Sir:

Pursuant to the Request for Continued Examination that is concurrently being filed with this Response, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.